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# The Pennsylvania GAZETTE.

*Containing the freshest Advices Foreign and Domestick.*

*HAGUE, June 6.*

THE Attention of the Publick begins now to be divided between what has really happen'd in America, and the Events which are expected to happen in the North, where Affairs seems to be in a Crisis. The Swedish Ministry have advanc'd too far toward a War to retreat with Honour; and on the other hand; it hazards every thing, if through Despair it imitates the Conduct of Cæsar when he pass'd the Rubicon, and says *Alea jacta est*, seeing the Russians are half as strong again as the Swedes, not only in point of Number, but also in the Quality of their Troops, which have been accustom'd to Action, and enur'd to Fatigue; whereas the Swedish Army consisteth altogether of new Levies, amongst whom are but few Officers that have been in the Field. Besides all this, according to the Advices, even those receiv'd from Stockholm, the Troops which have been sent into Finland, have, as it were suffer'd a Defeat by the Rigour of the Winter, and the extreme Want of Provisions. The Russians, on the contrary, who are used to a strict Sobriety, have nevertheless Magazines which abound with every Necessary; and Carelia, the Province in which Sweden had Designs of beginning the War, by attacking Wybourg, is inhabited by scarce any besides Soldiers. Altho' the utmost Caution of giving Offence is now observ'd on the side of Sweden, the Court of Russia, which accuses that Crown with having threaten'd it by assembling a much greater Number of Troops upon the Frontiers than was necessary for their Defence, in a Time of profound Peace, and when Russia was engaged in a bloody and expensive War, makes the same Preparations as tho' it expected to be attacked every Moment, without being in the least stopt by the flattering Propositions made to it for accomodating Matters with Sweden, or rather for preventing a Rupture. The Miniistry of the Empress knows very well how to act in regard to the Intentions of the Court of Sweden, with which a certain Discovery has sufficiently instructed it. All the Advices from Poland and Vienna say too, that the Swedish Ministry has in no sort changed its System; which News seems to be confirm'd, by that of its concluding a defensive Alliance with the Porte, by the Mediation of France, but unfortunately for that Ministry (which should be always look'd upon as distinct from the King) the present Circumstances of the Porte are not at all favourable to it.

[ *From the Gentlemen's Magazine, for June last.* ]

The Death of the King of Prussia and the different Temper of his Successor, seem to portend some Alteration to the Affairs of Europe, and excite the publick Attention. That Prince died before he had Time to compass two Things, that he seem'd to have laid to Heart; the first was a Re-establishment of a good Correspondence with the Court of Great-Britain, which in some of his last Moments he gave Orders about; the other was the Determination of the Succession to Juliers and Berg, in relation to which he publickly and privately gave it in Charge to his Successor not to offer any Diminution of the Army till that Affair should be brought to a happy Issue: This he urged the more, as knowing the Prince never affected the tall Grenadiers or indeed the Army.---At a Grand Council the new King propos'd, 1. That a Minister should immediately be sent to his Uncle the King of Great-Britain, in order to Re-establish the Friendship and Communication of Counsels between the two Courts. 2. To offer his Mediation to the Empress of Russia, and King of Sweden in order to preserve the Peace of the North. "I shall be sorry says he, that any Blood should be spilt in my Neighbourhood if I can hinder it." Lastly, he proposed a speedy Reduction of the Forces from 70,000 their present Number, to 30 or 40, 000 Men. The two first of these Pro-

Propoſitions were applauded by the Council; but touching the 3d it was humbly remonſtrated that till the heavy Cloud that hovered over his Borders on the ſide of Swediſh Pometania and Ruſſia, as alſo over Juliers and Berg were blown over, it were more adviſable to defer the Reduction of the Army. Upon this the King ſeem'd very tho'tful, and after a few Minutes Silence only ſaid with very great Marks of Concern, *How then can I eaſe my People of their Burthens* ?--- His Majeſty paſſing between Potſdam and Berlin was accoſted in the Road by 1000 little Boys from 5 to 10 Years old, who after Acclamations of *Long Live* Frederick our *gracious Lord*, encompaſs'd his Coach and cry'd out, *Merciful Lord, deliver us from our Slavery*. The King promiſed them their Liberty, and next Day they had it. Theſe poor Children were all enrolled by order of the late King, and wore a red Cravat as a Badge that their Parents had nothing to do with them, which Cravat they call'd the *Collar of Slavery*; but the King has order'd his recruiting Officers to ſtrike them out of the Roll, and to take off the ignominious Ornament from their Necks; he has aboliſh'd the Cuſtom introduc'd ſome Years ago of regiſtring Children as ſoon as they were born, in order to make them ſerve in the Army when grown up. Several tall Men being preſented to His Majeſty he order'd them to be ſent back to the Regiments from whence they had been draughted, ſaying that extraordinary Stature in a Soldier was what he little regarded, and order'd that the higheſt ſtandard for Recruits ſhould not exceed 5 Feet 10 Inches (about 6 Feet 4 Inches Engliſh) and that a Man of that Stature ſhould not receive above 80 or 100 Crowns Engliſh Money. The King has alſo ordered, that the Queen Dowager ſhall be ſtiled Queen Mother, and that inſtead of Majeſty (as has been uſual) ſhe only call him Son. His Regard for Learning is as remarkable as his Piety, His Majeſty having deſired M. Rollin at Paris to continue his Correſpondence with him.

*June* 7. We hear that ſome Ships will be ordered directly to curb the Inſolence of the Spaniſh Privateers, who are now arrived to that Heighth, that they chaſe our Ships daily into our own Ports, without the leaſt Apprehenſion of Danger.

There are now five of the new 20 Gun Ships ready fitted for the Sea, and lie with their Sails bent, only waiting for Orders from above, to ſail, which the Merchants think are very long a coming.

The latter End of laſt Week the Lords of the Regency order'd 200 l. to be paid out of the Treaſury without Fees, to Capt. Rentone, as a Reward for bringing the News of Admiral Vernon's taking Porto Bello.

A Tender call'd the Lilliputian, from being the ſmalleſt belonging to the Navy, has taken a Spaniſh Privateer off the Land's End.

*June* 28. Seven Thouſand 13 and 15 Inch Bomb Shells have been ſent from the Tower to the Iſle of Wight. And a great Number of Chevaux de Frize (a Military Inſtrument made uſe of in War, to guard the Avenues of a Camp) have been deliver'd out of the Tower, to be ſhipp'd for the Uſe of the Forces to be employ'd in the intended Expedition.

An Expreſs has been diſpatch'd to Portſmouth, with Orders to the Captains of the ſeveral Men of War not to ſuffer any of their Officers or others to go on Shore, but to hold themſelves ready to depart at a Minute's Warning. At the ſame Time Orders were given to the Land Forces to be ready to embark on the firſt Notice.

Monday a Train of Artillery was carried thro' the City for the Camp on Hounſlow Heath, and we hear the Forces encamped there will be review'd the next Week.

*June* 30. Capt. Anſon. in the Centurion, and four more Men of War, with a Thouſand Marines on board them, and the Wager Storeſhip, with Arms, a Train of Artillery, &c. will ſpeedily ſail from Portſmouth for America.

On Saturday a Train of Artillery went from the Tower to the Camp at Newbury.

*July* 3. They write from the Hague, that the Elector of Cologne was expected there every Day from Amſterdam, and that from thence he propos'd to make a Voyage to England.

The Plate, *&c.* of his Royal Highneſs the Duke of Cumberland is gone to Portſmouth, as is alſo his Royal Highneſs, who goes as a Voluntier on board the Victory, a firſt Rate, under the Command of Sir John Norris.

There are three Spaniſh Men of War cruizing off Ferroll, one La Caſtela, another St. Principia, and the other La Eſperanza; beſides a new Ship from St. Sebaſtian's, carrying 24 Guns and 300 Men.

*BOSTON, September* 1.

Laſt Tueſday the Troops newly raiſed in this Province for His Majeſty's Service in the Weſt-Indies, were muſtered in our Common, and review'd by his Excellency the Governor, attended by His Majeſty's Council, the Houſe of Repreſentatives, the Commiſſion Officers of the Town, and ſeveral other Gentlemen. The Battallion under Arms was exerciſed before his Excellency, *&c.*

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by one of the British Officers, and its allow'd the Men perform'd with great Dexterity and Exactneſs.

At the Comencement held at Cambridge on Wedneſday laſt, 26 young Gentlemen received the Degree ot Maſter of Arts, and 22 that of Batchelor.

About Noon the ſame Day, the Galley built by Mr. Benjamin Hallowell, at the Charge of this Proviuce, for the Defence of our Coaſt, was launched, in the View of a prodigious Number of People, who were aſſembled on that Occaſion. She is eſteemed a very fine Ship, by good Judges, and was built and launched in 32 Days from the laying the Keel, altho' five of the ſaid Days were ſo rainy that very little Work was done in them. She meaſures 180 Tons, mounts 16 Carriage Guns that will carry a Ball of Six Pounds, and 'tis ſaid ſhe is to carry as many Swivels. She is commanded by Capt. Edward Tyng, an experienced Sea-Officer, and is fitting out with ſuch Diligence, that 'tis ſaid ſhe will be fit for the Sea before this Week is out. She is called the Prince of Orange, in Memory, as we ſuppoſe, of our glorious Deliverer King William.

*NEW-YORK, September* 8.

The Captain of one of the Spaniſh Privateers mentioned in our laſt, to have taken the Snow, and retaken by Capt. Bennet, was a Knight of Malta, who after he had fought bravely and received many Wounds, ſat himſelf down with his back to the Pump and continued firing his Piſtols to the laſt, when he was found dead ſitting upright, and his Piſtols in his Hands. The Officers and Men were all of Don Blaſs's Squadron, and ſent on purpoſe to take the Snow, who had been for ſome time cruiſing off of Carthagena.

Saturday laſt arrived here Capt. Bennet from Madeira, in 36 Days, whence we learn, that three 50 Gun Ships, with about 300 Marines on board, had been there with upwards of 40 Sail of Merchant Ships, and 6 Store Ships for Admiral Vernon.

The Fleet ſail'd from Madeira the 15th of July laſt for Jamaica.

*Cuſtom-Houſe*, Philadelphia, *Entred Inward.*

Ship Conſtantine, Edward Wright, from London.
Ship Elizabeth, Chriſtopher Dunn, from Leverpoole and Dublin.
Snow Drake, James White, from Cork.
Ship Friendſhip, Peter Parrot, from Cork.
Brigt. Two Siſters, John Moor, from New-Hampſhire.
Scooner Grey-Hound, Thomas Jackſon, from Boſton.
Sloop Mary, Cornelius Hinſon, from Barbadoes.
Sloop Benjamin, Joſeph Underwood, from Jamaica.
Snow Frances and Ann, Thomas Coatam, from Jamaica.
Sloop Meridian, Thomas Comerford, from Rhode-Iſland.
Sloop Hannah and Mary, Peter Harris, from New-London.
Brigt. Debby, George Stewart, from Cork.

*Entred Out.*

Sloop Delight, John Dickinſon, for Jamaica.
Sloop Benjamin, Joſeph Underwood, for St. Chriſtophers.
Scooner Two Siſters, Henry Tiſdale, for South-Carolina.

*Cleared.*

Sloop Eagle, Peter Ganthony, to Jamaica.
Snow Alexander & Ann, John Cox, to Jamaica.
Brigt. Catherine and Mary, William Greenway, to Briſtol.
Snow Diligence, Edmond Gale, to Boſton.
Scooner Charming Hannah, Anthony Beck, to Maryland.
Ship John and Jane, Daniel Prowſe, to Newfoundland.
Brigt. Revolution, William Clarke, for Barbadoes.

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*Juſt Imported and to be Sold,*

By MILES STRICKLAND, in Market-ſtreet, near the Court-Houſe, PHILADELPHIA.

A FRESH Parcel of Dr. BATEMAN's Pectoral Drops. Price 3s. a Bottle.

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*TO BE SOLD.*

A Likely Servant Boy, Sixteen Years of Age, has Six Years to ſerve. Enquire of ROBERT BARTON, near the Poſt-Office, *Philadelphia*.

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THere is on board the Snow *Friendſhip*, *Patrick Parrott*, Maſter, lying off againſt *Market-ſtreet* Wharff, ſeveral likely Tradeſmen and Huſbandmen, Servants, moſtly young; To be Sold reaſonably by ſaid Maſter on board, or *Edward Bridges*, at his Houſe commonly called the Scales.

*N. B.* The ſaid Bridges has ſeveral Sorts of European Goods to ſell, at reaſonable Rates, for ready Money or ſhort Credit.

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*TO BE SOLD,*

A Tract of Land, ſituate in or near *Plymouth* Townſhip, abont 16 Miles from *Philadelphia*, containing 200 Acres. Whoever has a Mind to purchaſe the ſame, may apply to *Hugh Treſſe*, and *Mary* and *Ann Treſſe*, in Second-ſtreet near Market-ſtreet, *Philadelphia*.

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For *SOUTH-CAROLINA* directly,

THE Scooner *Two Siſters*, *Henry Tiſdale*, Maſter, now lying at Mr. *Fiſhbourn's* Wharff, will ſail in *Twelve* Days at fartheſt. For Freight or Paſſage, agree with the ſaid Maſter on board, or at his Houſe next Door to the *Boatſwain and Call*, in this City.

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For LONDON,

The Ship Conſtantine, Edward Wright, Maſter, Burthen 200 Tons, 10 Guns, Men anſwerable:

WILL certainly ſail by the 25th of *October*, having the greater Part of her Lading already engaged. For Freight or Paſſage, agree with Meſſrs. SHIPPEN and EDGELL, or ſaid Maſter on board ſaid Ship, now lying at Mr. THOMAS GRIFFITTS's Wharff.

*N. B.* She has extraordinary Accommodations for Paſſengera.

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RUN away the 24th paſt from the Subſcribers in Maryland, the Three following Servants, *viz.*

Carthy M'Carthy, an Iriſhman, of middle Stature, thick ſet, freſh coloured, has a large Mole on one of his Breaſts, and is a Sailor: Had on a blue grey Drugget Waiſtcoat, wide Trowſers made of Duck.

Thomas Tomlinſon, an Engliſhman, ſhort of Stature, a pale Complexion, by Trade a Taylor: Had on a ſnuff-coloured Waiſtcoat, linnen Breeches, and worſted Stockings.

George Gardener, an Engliſhman, pretty luſty, brown complexion'd, a full ſmooth Face, goes a little Stooping, has lately cut one of his Legs, and is a Huſbandman: Had on a brown Frize turn'd Coat, ſtriped Ticken Waiſtcoat, and white Fuſtian Breeches.

'Tis ſuppoſed they have ſtolen a Silver Spoon, a new Seirſucker double breaſted Waiſtcoat, new grey Drugget Breeches, and ſeveral other Things.

They are all young Fellows of about 28 Years of Age.

Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid Servants, ſo that their Maſters may have them again, ſhall have *Ten* Pounds Reward for the Three, or *Three* Pounds for each, and reaſonable Charges, paid by

Sept. 11. 1740. *William Bond*, *William Fell.*

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RUN away on the 23d paſt, from *James Leonard*, of *Kingſton*, in *Middleſex* County, *Eaſt-New-Jerſey*, a Negro Man named *Simon*, aged about 40 Years, is a well-ſet Fellow, about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, has large Eyes, and a Foot 12 Inches long; he was bred and born in this Country, talks good *Engliſh*, can read and write, is very ſlow in his Speech, can bleed and draw Teeth, pretending to be a great Doctor and very religious, and ſays he is a Churchman. Had on a dark grey Broadcloth Coat, with other good Apparel, and peeked toe'd Shoes. He took with him a black Horſe, about 13 Hands and an half high, a Star in his Forehead, branded with 2 on the near Thigh or Shoulder, and trots; alſo a black hunting Saddle, about half worn.

Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid Negro, ſo that his Maſter may have him again, ſhall have *Three Pounds* Reward and reaſonable Charges, paid by *James Leonard.*

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RUN away on the 4th Inſt. at Night, from *William* and *Samuel Pancooſt*, of *Mansfield* Townſhip in *Burlington* County, *Weſt-New-Jerſey*, two Engliſh Men, *viz.* One named *Edward Townſhend*, aged about 30 Years, a luſty big bon'd Fellow, ſtooping forward in his Shoulders, brown Complexion and brown Hair cut very ſhort: Had on a greyiſh blue Coat with ſlaſh Sleeves and braſs Buttons, a ſtriped tickin Veſt, old leather Breeches, good check'd Shirt, dark yarn Stockings, good peeked toe'd Shoes with braſs Buckles in 'em, and a felt Hat. The other named *John Leonard*, aged about 18 Years, ſhort of Stature, fair complexion'd, no Hair, by Trade a Weaver: Had on a grey Coat with flat white metal Buttons, a blue cloth Veſt, brown cloth Breeches, dark yarn Stockings, good peeked toe'd Shoes with braſs Buckles in 'em, and a new Felt Hat. They talk broad *Weſt-Country*, and have been in this Country but about 8 Weeks.

Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid Servants, ſo that their Maſters may have them again, ſhall have *Forty* Shillings Reward for each, and reaſonable Charges, paid by *William Pancooſt*, *Samuel Pancooſt.*

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## WILLIAM SAUNDERS, *Gunſmith*,

IS Removed from his Houſe in Second-ſtreet, to the upper End of Market-ſtreet, at the Sign of the GUN, a little above the Houſe of JOHN KINSEY, Eſq; Where there are to be ſold, very good GUNS, well Stock'd and Lock'd, at reaſonable Prices. He likewiſe takes in Guns to clean, ſtock, or mend, &c. which he performs in the cheapeſt and beſt Manner.

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*To be SOLD to the Higheſt Bidder,*

On *Wedneſday* the 15th of *October*, at the Houſe of *Thomas Barnes* in *Trenton*, at the Hour of Three in the Afternoon:

A *TRACT of Land and Meadow, containing* 2237 *Acres, lying in* Paqueaſe *in* Hunterdon *County, in* Weſt New-Jerſey, *bounded on the North by Eſq;* John Reading's *Land, on the Eaſt by* Daniel Coxe's, *Eſq; and on the Weſt by Mr.* Joſeph Kelby's. *Any Perſons inclinable to purchaſe the ſame, may be further informed by* Thomas Glentworth, *at his Houſe in* Market-Street, Philadelphia, *any time before the Sale.*

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## JUST PUBLISHED,

A *Second Letter from* Ebenezer Kinnerſley, *to his Friend in the Country, ſhewing the Partiality and unjuſt Treatment he has met with from a certain Committee, whoſe Names, &c. were inſerted in the* Gazette *of* Auguſt 14. Numb. 609. *To be ſold by Meſſrs.* Andrew *and* William Bradford, *at the Sign of the* Bible *in* Front-Street, *and by the Author near the Sign of the* George *in* Second-Street. Price Two Pence.

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Shortly will be Publiſhed,

*SOME Remarks on Mr.* Ebenezer Kinnerſley's *Two Letters to his Friend in the Country; together with a full Vindication of the Rev. Mr.* Jones, *Paſtor, and the Committee of the Church under his Care, from the Aſperſions and unjuſt Accuſations of the ſaid Mr.* Kinnerſley.

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*AT the Sign of the Golden Mortar, a few Doors below the* Quakers *Meeting-Houſe, in* Second-Street, *all Perſons may be ſupplied with Drugs and Medicines, at the cheapeſt Rates, by* Phineas Bond, *who has purchaſed the whole Shop that lately belonged to* Thomas Lloyd. *A large Addition is made to the ſaid Shop, by a Supply of freſh Medicines, imported in the laſt Ship from* London.

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STOLEN away, about ſix Weeks ago, from the Plantation of *Richard Bernard*, joining on *Marlborough* Townſhip, *Cheſter* County, a ſorrel colour'd Horſe, about 10 Years old, and about 14 Hands high, Trotts, branded on the near Shoulder with I and on the near Buttock with C a Blaze down his Face, Mane trim'd ſometime ago, an Half-penny cut out of one Ear, his two Feet behind white, with a Switch Tail, he is a fore Horſe, can draw well in a Team, and is at good Command.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Horſe, or ſecures him ſo that the Owner may have him again. ſhall have *Twenty Shillings* Reward, paid by

*Sept.* 4. 1740. *Richard Barnard.*

*Note.* About the ſame time the above Horſe was taken away, was found a light bay Horſe, pretty tall and ſlim, with a ſwitch Tail, his Mane has been trim'd and hangs down on the near ſide, neither Brand nor Ear Mark, Trotts, and Paces Pretty faſt, but breaks in Pacing, ſhod before, much gall'd and very poor.

The Owner is deſired to come to the aforeſaid Plantation to fetch him away; and paying the Charges, may have him again.

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A *PARCEL of likely Negro Boys and Girls juſt arrived in the Sloop* Charming Sally, David Hall *Maſter, and to be ſold by* Robert Ellis, *in* Water-ſtreet, *for ready Money, Flour or Wheat, and the aforeſaid Sloop will ſail for* Charleſtown *in* South-Carolina *and* Wynyaw *in fourteen days at furtheſt. For Freight or Paſſage agree with the ſaid* Robert Ellis, *or the ſaid Maſter on board the ſaid Sloop, now lying at* Robert Ellis's *Wharff.*

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For *SOUTH CAROLINA* directly,

THE Brig. *Lucy, John Lindſay*, Maſter, will ſail in a few Days; for Freight or Paſſage agree with *Peter Bard* in *Philadelphia.*

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*To be ſold by publick Vendue at the Coffee-Houſe, on Friday the Tenth Day of* October *next.*

A *Certain Tract of Land ſituate on the Branches of* Tohockanickon *River, in* Hunterdon *County, now* Morris *County, in the Province of* Weſt-New-Jerſey, *beginning at a white Oak Corner Tree marked* M. C. *thence extending along Lines of Trees,* viz. *North ten Degrees Eaſt, ſixty ſix Chains, croſſing the ſaid River, to a Corner white Oak ſtanding on a little Hill, thence North twenty-nine Degrees Weſt, one Hundred forty-five Chains to a Corner Poſt; thence Weſt ſixty-two Chains to a Corner black Oak; thence South twenty-five Degrees Weſt, one Hundred and forty-eight Chains to a marked Pine Tree; thence South eighty Degrees Eaſt, eighty-ſix Chains, croſſing the ſaid River, to a marked white Oak; thence South twenty-three Degrees Eaſt, eighty Chains, to a white Oak; thence North ſixty-five Degrees Eaſt, by Governor* Penn's *Land, ninety Chains, to the Place of Beginning, containing Two Thouſand Five Hundred and Eleven Acres, and the uſual Allowance for High-ways.*

*Any Perſon inclining to purchaſe the ſaid Land, by applying to* White *and* Taylor *in* Philadelphia, *may be informed as to the Title, and Terms of Payment, and may ſee a Plan of the ſaid Land in the Hands of* Joſeph Peace, *Eſq; of* Trenton.

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## *TO BE SOLD,*

*By* John Seymour *at the Houſe of the Widow* Stapleford *in* Second-ſtreet, Philadelphia.

LOoking Glaſſes, Tea-Kettles, braſs Candle-Sticks, Muſlins, Cambricks, Silk Handkerchiefs, Sewing Silks, Silk Laces, Padaſway, plain and figur'd Ribbons, Ferreting, Stay Trimming, Silver Ribbons and Girdles, Wig Ribbons and Cawls, Ivory Combs, Needles, Pins, Womens Stays, Cotton Caps, Mens and Womens Thread Hoſe, white and brown Buckram, colour'd Thread, flower'd Damask, Calimancoes and Hair Camblets, Silver Orris, Silver, Sileſias and Buttonhole Thread, Sadlers Lace and Pluſh, Ozenbrigs, Leghorn Hats, white Flannel, Wadding, plain and figur'd Fuſtian, Sealing Wax, black Gauſe Handkerchiefs, Crape Hatbands, Ivory Fans with Paper and Leather Mountings, Good Bohea Tea, Indigo, Allſpice, Pepper, Double refin'd loaf Sugar, *&c.*

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CHARLES WILLING intending for *England* in a ſhort Time, deſires all Perſons indebted to him, to pay the ſame *To be ſold by the ſaid* Willing, *on very reaſonable Terms for ready Money, ſundry ſorts of Goods lately imported from* London *and* Briſtol, *viz. Ozenbrigs, Garlix, Callicoes, Cambricks, Diapers, ſeveral ſorts of Silk, Haberdaſhery and Millener's Ware, Hoſiers and Manchеſter Ware, Kerſeys, Broad-Cloths, Druggets, Duroys, Blankets, Ruggs, Callimancoes, Stuffs, Tickens for Beds, Felt-Hats, Lead and Shot, Nails, Steel, Anvils, Ironmongery and Cutlery Wares, Copperas, Allom, Brimſtone, Window-Glaſs of all ſorts; the beſt Sail-Duck, with a ſet of new Anchors.*

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ALL Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of *Thomas Sharp*, late of this City, Merchant, deceaſed, are deſired to make ſpeedy Payment thereof to *John Thomas*, Executor of the laſt Will and Teſtament of the ſaid *Thomas Sharp*, who only is lawfully entitled to receive the ſaid Debts; the Letters of Adminiſtration granted to Meſſrs. *Hopkins* and *Inglis* being void and of no Effect. *Note*, the ſaid *John Thomas* lives at the Houſe of *Jonathan Zane* in *Second-ſtreet* in this City.

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WHEREAS, by an Advertiſement publiſhed in the *Gazette* laſt Week, the Debtors of *Thomas Sharp*, late of this City, Merchant, deceaſed, were required to pay their Debts to one *John Thomas*, under Colour of a ſuppoſed Will of the Deceaſed, whereof the ſaid *John Thomas* ſays he is Executor; This is to give Notice to all Perſons concerned, that Adminiſtration of the Deceaſed's Eſtate was, in due and legal Manner, granted to us the Subſcribers, who gave a large Security for the juſt Diſcharge of the Truſt; that as ſoon as we had the leaſt Notice of this pretended Will, we required the ſaid *John Thomas* to meet us and the Creditors of the Deceaſed, in order to examine the Verity of the Will, and upon reaſonable Proof, to ſettle all Affairs, for our ſurrendering the Adminiſtration; that we and ſeveral of the Creditors have met three Times for thoſe Purpoſes, ineffectually, becauſe the ſaid *John Thomas* did not appear, altho' once he had expreſsly agreed to it; for which, and other good Reaſons, we are inclined to believe the pretended Will is forged: We therefore call upon the ſaid *John Thomas*, in this publick Manner, to prove the Will according to the Laws of the Province, aſſuring him, when that is done, he ſhall meet with no Oppoſition from us, in receiving the Eſtate; but, on the contrary, we let him know, he ſhall not impeach our juſt Rights, by publick Advertiſements, with Impunity: And the Debtors are deſired to take Notice, that our Duty, in a more eſpecial Manner, requires us to call them to immediate Account, when thoſe Rights are thus publickly denied.

*John Hopkins.*
*John Inglis.*

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